

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT**

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A translation of the Office Action from the Japanese Patent Office is enclosed as a concise explanation of relevance for the cited Japanese patent applications.

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Respectfully submitted,

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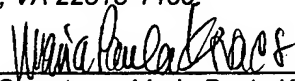
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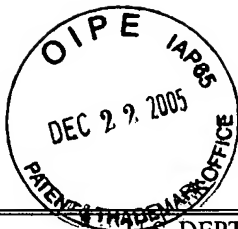
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OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

	Office Action (Japanese and English versions) mailed on November 29, 2005 corresponding to Japanese Patent Application No. 2004-162464, a counterpart patent application.

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